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three-hour workshop on
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www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/Mercury/HELP/index.html

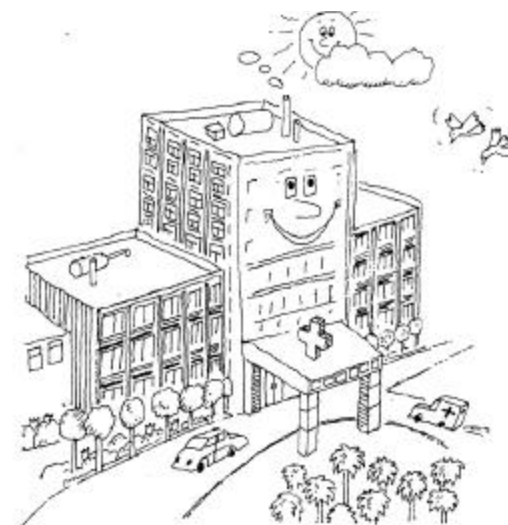
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Pollution Prevention for Medical Facilities

*You and your staff are
invited to attend a
Free Workshop*

*Ventura County Medical Center
Ventura, California*

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Prevention Committee,
Department of Health Services, and the
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This workshop will train you to easily and cost-effectively run an environmentally-friendly medical facility. The workshop will demonstrate pollution prevention techniques that not only save the environment, but can also save money. Learn about new changes in environmental regulations pertaining to the medical industry. The following topics will be covered during the workshop:

- ***Mercury Reduction***
- ***New and Existing Universal Waste Rules***
- ***Expired/unused Pharmaceutical Disposal***
- ***Medical Waste Management***
- ***Local Waste Water Issues***

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Where: Ventura County
Medical Center
Cafeteria Conference Room
3291 Loma Vista Road
Ventura, California

When: Wednesday
September 22, 2004
1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Who Should Attend:

- All Medical Facility Staff
- Acute Care Centers
- Urgent Care facilities
- Private Medical Offices
- Small Medical Clinics
- POTW's

**PLEASE ENROLL by
September 15, 2004**

Space is limited. Please confirm your attendance by e-mailing the information below to ksmith1@dtsc.ca.gov, by faxing at (916) 327-4494, or telephone at (800) 700-5854.

Facility Name _____

Attendee Name _____

Address _____

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